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UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT  District of					VOLUNTARY PETITION		
Name of Debtor (if individual, enter Last, First, Middle):				Name of Joint Debtor (Spouse) (Last, First, Middle):			
All Other Names used by the Debtor in the last 8 years (include married, maiden, and trade names):			All Other Names used by the Joint Debtor in the last 8 years (include married, maiden, and trade names):				
Last four digits of Soc. Sec. or Individual-Taxpayer I.D. (if more than one, state all):	. (ITIN)/Comp	plete EIN	Last four dig		. Sec. or Individual-Ta	xpayer I.D. (ITI	N)/Complete EIN
Street Address of Debtor (No. and Street, City, and State	e):		Street Addre	Street Address of Joint Debtor (No. and Street, City, and State):			
	ZIP CO	ODE				Z	IP CODE
County of Residence or of the Principal Place of Busine	ss:		County of R	esidence o	or of the Principal Place	e of Business:	
Mailing Address of Debtor (if different from street address)	ess):		Mailing Add	ress of Joi	int Debtor (if different	from street add	ress):
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Location of Principal Assets of Business Debtor (if diffe	erent from stre	eet address above):				Z	IP CODE
<b>Type of Debtor</b> (Form of Organization)		Nature of Busine (Check one box			Chapter of Bankr	ruptcy Code Un Filed (Check o	
(Check <b>one</b> box.)  ☐ Individual (includes Joint Debtors)  See Exhibit D on page 2 of this form.  ☐ Corporation (includes LLC and LLP)  ☐ Partnership  ☐ Other (If debtor is not one of the above entities,	Health Care Business   Single Asset Real Estate as defined in 11 U.S.C. § 101(51B)   Railroad   Stockbroker   Commodity Broker			Chapter 7 ☐ Chapter 15 Petition for Recognition of a Foreign Main Proceeding Chapter 12 ☐ Chapter 15 Petition for			
check this box and state type of entity below.)	Clean	ring Bank r		-	Nature of Debts		
		Tax-Exempt Ent			•	eck one box.)	
				de § 1 inc pe	bts are primarily consibts, defined in 11 U.S. 101(8) as "incurred by dividual primarily for a rsonal, family, or hous old purpose."	.C. bu an a	bts are primarily siness debts.
Filing Fee (Check one box	K.)		Check one l	•	Chapter 11 D	Oebtors	
☐ Full Filing Fee attached.			Debtor is a small business debtor as defined in 11 U.S.C. § 101(51D).  Debtor is not a small business debtor as defined in 11 U.S.C. § 101(51D).				
Filing Fee to be paid in installments (applicable to signed application for the court's consideration ce unable to pay fee except in installments. Rule 100	rtifying that tl 06(b). See Of	he debtor is ficial Form 3A.	Check if:  Debtor's aggregate noncontingent liquidated debts (excluding debts owed to insiders or affiliates) are less than \$2,343,300 (amount subject to adjustment on 4/01/13 and every three years thereafter).				
attach signed application for the court's consideration. See Official Form 3B.  Check all appli  A plan is b  Acceptance			oplicable l is being fi		prepetition fron	n one or more classes	
Statistical/Administrative Information							THIS SPACE IS FOR
☐ Debtor estimates that funds will be available ☐ Debtor estimates that, after any exempt proper distribution to unsecured creditors.				d, there w	ill be no funds availab	le for	COURT USE ONLY
Estimated Number of Creditors			_				
1-49 50-99 100-199 200-999	1,000- 5,000	5,001-	0,001-	25,001- 50,000	50,001- 100,000	Over 100,000	
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Voluntary Petition Name of Debtor(s):					
(This page must be completed and filed in every case.)  All Prior Bankruptcy Cases Filed Within Last	8 Vears (If more than two, attach additional shee	t )			
Location Where Filed:	Case Number:	Date Filed:			
Location	Case Number:	Date Filed:			
Where Filed:  Pending Bankruptcy Case Filed by any Spouse, Partner, or A	ffiliate of this Debtor (If more than one, attach a	additional sheet )			
Name of Debtor:	Case Number:	Date Filed:			
District:	Relationship:	Judge:			
Exhibit A	Exhibit (To be completed if debt				
(To be completed if debtor is required to file periodic reports (e.g., forms 10K and 10C with the Securities and Exchange Commission pursuant to Section 13 or 15(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 and is requesting relief under chapter 11.)	(To be completed if debtor is an individual whose debts are primarily consumer debts.)  I, the attorney for the petitioner named in the foregoing petition, declare that I have informed the petitioner that [he or she] may proceed under chapter 7, 11, 12, or 13 of title 11, United States Code, and have explained the relief available under each such chapter. I further certify that I have delivered to the debtor the notice required by 11 U.S.C. § 342(b).				
Exhibit A is attached and made a part of this petition.	X Signature of Attorney for Debtor(s)	(Date)			
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	bit C				
Does the debtor own or have possession of any property that poses or is alleged to pos	e a threat of imminent and identifiable harm to pu	blic health or safety?			
Yes, and Exhibit C is attached and made a part of this petition.					
□ No.					
Exhibit D  (To be completed by every individual debtor. If a joint petition is filed, each spouse must complete and attach a separate Exhibit D.)    Exhibit D completed and signed by the debtor is attached and made a part of this petition.  If this is a joint petition:    Exhibit D also completed and signed by the joint debtor is attached and made a part of this petition.  Information Regarding the Debtor - Venue					
Check any a  Debtor has been domiciled or has had a residence, principal place preceding the date of this petition or for a longer part of such 180 ce		for 180 days immediately			
☐ There is a bankruptcy case concerning debtor's affiliate, general pa	rtner, or partnership pending in this District.				
Debtor is a debtor in a foreign proceeding and has its principal plan on principal place of business or assets in the United States but is District, or the interests of the parties will be served in regard to the	a defendant in an action or proceeding [in a fee				
Certification by a Debtor Who Resides as a Tenant of Residential Property (Check all applicable boxes.)					
Landlord has a judgment against the debtor for possession of debtor's residence. (If box checked, complete the following.)					
(Name of landlord that obtained judgment)					
	(Address of landlord)				
Debtor claims that under applicable nonbankruptcy law, there are entire monetary default that gave rise to the judgment for possess					
Debtor has included with this petition the deposit with the court of the petition.	Debtor has included with this petition the deposit with the court of any rent that would become due during the 30-day period after the filing of the petition.				
Debtor certifies that he/she has served the Landlord with this cer	Debtor certifies that he/she has served the Landlord with this certification. (11 U.S.C. § 362(1)).				

Voluntary Petition (This page must be completed and filed in every case.)	Name of Debtor(s): Ambac Financial Group, Inc.
Signa	<u> </u>
Signature(s) of Debtor(s) (Individual/Joint)	Signature of a Foreign Representative
I declare under penalty of perjury that the information provided in this petition is true and correct. [If petitioner is an individual whose debts are primarily consumer debts and has chosen to file under chapter 7] 1 am aware that 1 may proceed under chapter 7, 11, 12 or 13 of title 11, United States Code, understand the relief available under each such chapter, and choose to proceed under chapter 7. [If no attorney represents me and no bankruptcy petition preparer signs the petition] I have obtained and read the notice required by 11 U.S.C. § 342(b).	I declare under penalty of perjury that the information provided in this petition is true and correct, that 1 am the foreign representative of a debtor in a foreign proceeding, and that I am authorized to file this petition.  (Check only one box.)  I request relief in accordance with chapter 15 of title 11, United States Code. Certified copies of the documents required by 11 U.S.C. § 1515 are attached.  Pursuant to 11 U.S.C. § 1511, I request relief in accordance with the
I request relief in accordance with the chapter of title 11, United States Code, specified in this petition.	chapter of title 11 specified in this petition. A certified copy of the order granting recognition of the foreign main proceeding is attached.
X	X
Signature of Debtor	(Signature of Foreign Representative)
X Signature of Joint Debtor	(Printed Name of Foreign Representative)
Telephone Number (if not represented by attorney)	Date
Date	Date
Signature of Attorney*	Signature of Non-Attorney Bankruptcy Petition Preparer
x /s/ Peter A. Ivanick Signature of Attorney for Debtor(s) Peter A. Ivanick Printed Name of Attorney for Debtor(s) Dewey & LeBoeuf LLP Firm Name 1301 Avenue of the Americas New York, New York 10019  Address (212) 259-8000 Telephone Number  Date	I declare under penalty of perjury that: (1) I am a bankruptcy petition preparer as defined in 11 U.S.C. § 110; (2) I prepared this document for compensation and have provided the debtor with a copy of this document and the notices and information required under 11 U.S.C. §§ 110(b), 110(h), and 342(b); and, (3) if rules or guidelines have been promulgated pursuant to 11 U.S.C. § 110(h) setting a maximum fee for services chargeable by bankruptcy petition preparers, I have given the debtor notice of the maximum amount before preparing any document for filing for a debtor or accepting any fee from the debtor, as required in that section. Official Form 19 is attached.  Printed Name and title, if any, of Bankruptcy Petition Preparer  Social-Security number (If the bankruptcy petition preparer is not an
*In a case in which § 707(b)(4)(D) applies, this signature also constitutes a certification that the attorney has no knowledge after an inquiry that the information in the schedules is incorrect.	individual, state the Social-Security number of the officer, principal, responsible person or partner of the bankruptcy petition preparer.) (Required by 11 U.S.C. § 110.)
Signature of Debtor (Corporation/Partnership)	
I declare under penalty of perjury that the information provided in this petition is true and correct, and that I have been authorized to file this petition on behalf of the debtor.	Address X
The debtor requests the relief in accordance with the chapter of title 11, United States Code, specified in this petition.  X  Signature of Authorized Individual David W. Wallis  Printed Name of Authorized Individual President and Chief Executive Officer  Title of Authorized Individual  Date  Date	Date  Signature of bankruptcy petition preparer or officer, principal, responsible person, or partner whose Social-Security number is provided above.  Names and Social-Security numbers of all other individuals who prepared or assisted in preparing this document unless the bankruptcy petition preparer is not an individual.  If more than one person prepared this document, attach additional sheets conforming to the appropriate official form for each person.  A bankruptcy petition preparer's failure to comply with the provisions of title 11 and the Federal Rules of Bankruptcy Procedure may result in fines or imprisonment or both. 11 U.S.C. § 110: 18 U.S.C. § 156.

# UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK

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In re	:	
	:	Chapter 11
AMBAC FINANCIAL GROUP, INC.,	:	_
	:	Case No. 10( )
Debtor.	:	
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## **EXHIBIT "A" TO VOLUNTARY PETITION**

1. Ambac Financial Group, Inc. (the "<u>Debtor</u>") has securities registered under section 12 of the Securities and Exchange Act of 1934. The Debtor's Securities and Exchange Commission file number is 1-10777.

2. The following data refers to the Debtor's financial condition as of June 30, 2010.<sup>1</sup>

a. Total assets: (\$394.5 million)

b. Total liabilities (incl. liabilities in 2.c, below): \$1.6826 billion

c. Debt securities held by more than 500 holders:  $N/A^2$ 

Class	CUSIP/ISIN
9.500% Senior Notes due 2021	023139AG3
6.15% Directly-Issued Subordinated Capital Securities due 2087	023139AF5
5.95% Debentures due 2035	023139AE8
7-1/2 Debentures due 2023	023139AB4
9-3/8% Debentures due 2011	023139AA6
5.95% Debentures due 2103	023139504
5.875% Debentures due 2103	023139603

d. Shares of preferred stock outstanding: None

e. Shares of common stock outstanding:<sup>3</sup> 302,112,225

<sup>1</sup> The information presented here reflects the financial condition of the Debtor *on an unconsolidated basis*. The Debtor's Securities and Exchange Commission filings reflect the financial condition of the Debtor and its nondebtor affiliates on a consolidated basis.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> The Debtor is unable to determine the precise number of holders of its debt securities. Accordingly, the Debtor has identified all outstanding debt securities in response to this inquiry. All of the Debtor's debt securities are unsecured.

- 3. Brief description of Debtor's business. The Debtor, headquartered in New York City, is a holding company whose affiliates provided financial guarantees and financial services to clients in both the public and private sectors around the world. The principal operating subsidiary, Ambac Assurance Corporation ("AAC"), is a guarantor of public and structured finance operations. The Debtor, through its subsidiaries, also provided investment agreements, interest rate swaps, total return swaps, and funding conduits, principally to clients of the financial guarantee business, which include municipalities and their authorities, health care organizations, and asset-backed issuers. AAC has not written a meaningful volume of financial guarantee business since November 2007 and no new business since mid–2008. As such, AAC's principal business now consists of mitigating losses in AAC's insured portfolio and maximizing the yield on its investment portfolio.
- 4. List the names of any person who directly or indirectly owns, controls, or holds, with power to vote, 5% or more of the Debtor's voting securities. The table below shows the name of each person or company known to the Debtor that beneficially owns in excess of 5% of the Debtor's common stock.

Name of Beneficial	Shares of Common	Percentage of	Position Date
Owner	Stock Held	Common Stock	
The Vanguard Group, Inc. <sup>4</sup>	16,497,280	5.46%	June 30, 2010

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> As of November 1, 2010.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4</sup> While Vanguard Group, Inc. filed a Form 13-F as of June 30, 2010, indicating holdings of more than 5%, these holdings are spread across 7 funds and no single fund owns more than 5%.

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UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT

## LIST OF CREDITORS HOLDING THE 20 LARGEST UNSECURED CLAIMS

The following is a list of creditors holding, as of November \_\_\_\_\_, 2010, the 20 largest unsecured claims against Ambac Financial Group, Inc. (the "Debtor"). This list has been prepared in accordance with Rule 1007(d) of the Federal Rules of Bankruptcy Procedure and does not include (i) persons who fall within the definition of "insider" in section 101(31) of title 11 of the United States Code, or (ii) secured creditors, unless the value of the collateral is such that the unsecured deficiency places the creditor among the holders of the 20 largest unsecured claims. The information herein shall not constitute an admission of liability by, nor is it binding on, the Debtor. The information herein does not constitute a waiver of the Debtor's right to contest the validity, priority, or amount of any claim.

	Name and mailing address of creditor	Name, telephone number, and mailing address of employee, agent, or department of creditor familiar with claim who may be contacted	Nature of claim (trade debt, bank loan, government contract, etc.)	Indicate if claim is contingent, unliquidated, disputed, or subject to setoff	Estimated amount of claim
1	BNY Mellon, as Trustee of 6.15% Directly-Issued Subordinated Capital Securities due 2087 One Wall Street New York, NY 10004	BNY Mellon One Wall Street New York, NY 10004	Unsecured Notes		\$400,000,000
2	BNY Mellon, as Trustee of 5.95% Debentures due 2035 One Wall Street New York, NY 10004	BNY Mellon One Wall Street New York, NY 10004	Unsecured Notes		\$400,000,000
3	BNY Mellon, as Trustee of 9.500% Senior Notes due 2021 One Wall Street New York, NY 10004	BNY Mellon One Wall Street New York, NY 10004	Unsecured Notes		\$250,000,000

	Name and mailing address of creditor	Name, telephone number, and mailing address of employee, agent, or department of creditor familiar with claim who may be contacted	Nature of claim (trade debt, bank loan, government contract, etc.)	Indicate if claim is contingent, unliquidated, disputed, or subject to setoff	Estimated amount of claim
4	BNY Mellon, as Trustee of 5.95% Debentures due 2103 One Wall Street New York, NY 10004	BNY Mellon One Wall Street New York, NY 10004 Attn: Natalie Crispin Tel: 412.234.7562	Unsecured Notes		\$200,000,000
5	BNY Mellon, as Trustee of 5.875% Debentures due 2103 One Wall Street New York, NY 10004	BNY Mellon One Wall Street New York, NY 10004 Attn: Natalie Crispin Tel: 412.234.7562	Unsecured Notes		\$175,000,000
6	BNY Mellon, as Trustee of 9-3/8% Debentures due 2011 One Wall Street New York, NY 10004	BNY Mellon One Wall Street New York, NY 10004 Attn: Natalie Crispin Tel: 412.234.7562	Unsecured Notes		\$122,189,000
7	BNY Mellon, as Trustee of 7-1/2 Debentures due 2023 One Wall Street New York, NY 10004	BNY Mellon One Wall Street New York, NY 10004 Attn: Natalie Crispin Tel: 412.234.7562	Unsecured Notes		\$75,000,000
8	New York City Department of Finance Field Audit Unit 345 Adams Street Brooklyn, NY 11201	New York City Department of Finance Field Audit Unit 345 Adams Street Brooklyn, NY 11201 Attn: J. Yanqui Zaza Tel: 718.403.4357	Disputed tax assessment	Contingent, unliquidated	\$42,339,397.95
9	One State Street Plaza, LLC One State Street Plaza New York, NY 10004	One State Street Plaza, LLC One State Street Plaza New York, NY 10004 Attn: Goldie Zlotnick Tel: 212.412.9105	Rent		\$198,110.94
10	Algorithmics (US) Inc. One State Street Plaza New York, NY 10004	Algorithmics (US) Inc. One State Street Plaza New York, NY 10004 Attn: Mark Weinstock Tel: 212.625.5260	Trade		\$81,656.25
11	Intex Solutions, Inc. 110 A. Street Needham, MA 02494- 2807	Intex Solutions, Inc. 110 A. Street Needham, MA 02494- 2807 Attn: Accounting Dept. Tel: 781.449.6222	Trade		\$30,307.17

	Name and mailing address of creditor	Name, telephone number, and mailing address of employee, agent, or department of creditor familiar with claim who may be contacted	Nature of claim (trade debt, bank loan, government contract, etc.)	Indicate if claim is contingent, unliquidated, disputed, or subject to setoff	amount of claim
12	Newmark Knight Frank 125 Park Avenue New York, NY 10017	Newmark Knight Frank 125 Park Avenue New York, NY 10017 Tel: 212.372.2000 Attn: Nikki Van Tel: 212.372.2264	Trade		\$18,486.51
13	RR Donnelley Receivables P.O. Box 13654 Newark, NJ 07188-0001	RR Donnelley Receivables P.O. Box 13654 Newark, NJ 07188-0001 Attn: Peter Gogolak Tel: 212.341.7432	Trade		\$14,000.00
14	David B. Nemschoff 59 Lehigh Court Rockville Centre, NY 11570	David B. Nemschoff 59 Lehigh Court Rockville Centre, NY 11570 Tel: 516-639-5752	Trade		\$12,500.00
15	Bloomberg L.P. P.O. Box 30244 Hartford, CT 06150-0244	Bloomberg L.P. P.O. Box 30244 Hartford, CT 06150-0244 Attn: Customer Support Tel: 212.318.2500	Trade		\$6,602.74
16	Intralinks, Inc. P.O. Box 10259 New York, NY 10259- 0259	Intralinks, Inc. P.O. Box 10259 New York, NY 10259- 0259 Attn: Billing Tel: 212.342.7676	Trade		\$4,125.00
17	Business Wire Department 34182 P.O. Box 39000 San Francisco, CA 94139	Business Wire Department 34182 P.O. Box 39000 San Francisco, CA 94139 Attn: Accounts Receivable Department Tel: 415.986.4422	Trade		\$1,282.00
18	Thomson Financial P.O. Box 5136 Carol Stream, IL 60197- 5136	Thomson Financial P.O. Box 5136 Carol Stream, IL 60197- 5136 Attn: Customer Care Tel: 617.856.2900	Trade		\$798.00
19	Westlaw Business Payment Center P.O. Box 6292 Carol Stream, IL 60197-6292	Westlaw Business Payment Center P.O. Box 6292 Carol Stream, IL 60197-6292 Attn: Accounts Receivable Department Tel: 800.227.3356	Trade		\$352.62

	Name and mailing address of creditor	Name, telephone number, and mailing address of employee, agent, or department of creditor familiar with claim who may be contacted	Nature of claim (trade debt, bank loan, government contract, etc.)	Indicate if claim is contingent, unliquidated, disputed, or subject to setoff	Estimated amount of claim
20	Duff & Phelps, LLC 12595 Collection Center Drive Chicago, IL 60693	Duff & Phelps, LLC 311 South Wacker Drive Chicago, IL 60606 Attn: Jeff Schiedemeyer Tel: 312.697.4600		Contingent, Unliquidated, Disputed	Unknown

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## **DECLARATION REGARDING LIST OF CREDITORS**

Pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 1746, I, the undersigned authorized officer of Ambac Financial Group, Inc., named as the debtor in this case, declare under penalty of perjury that I have reviewed the foregoing List of Creditors Holding the 20 Largest Unsecured Claims and that the list is true and correct to the best of my information and belief.

Dated: November <u>8</u>, 2010 New York, New York

UNITED STATES RANKBURTOV COURT

David W. Wallis

President and Chief Executive Officer

#### **CERTIFICATE OF RESOLUTIONS**

I, a duly authorized officer of Ambac Financial Group, Inc., a Delaware corporation (the "Company"), hereby certify that the following resolutions were duly adopted by the vote and consent of the Directors of the Company at a special meeting of the Board of Directors of the Company (the "Board"), held on November 7, 2010, in accordance with the requirements of applicable law and that said resolutions have not been altered, amended, or rescinded and are still in full force and effect as of the date hereof:

WHEREAS, the Board, after due and careful consideration of the financial condition of the Company and the Company's available alternatives, has determined that it would be desirable and in the best interests of the Company to immediately commence a voluntary proceeding under chapter 11 of title 11 of the United States Code (the "Bankruptcy Code");

#### NOW THEREFORE, BE IT

RESOLVED, that in the judgment of the Board, it is desirable and in the best interests of the Company, its creditors, employees, and other parties in interest that a petition be filed by the Company seeking relief under the provisions of chapter 11 of the Bankruptcy Code;

RESOLVED, that each of the Chief Executive Officer and Chief Financial Officer (each, an "<u>Authorized Person</u>" and collectively, the "<u>Authorized Persons</u>") are hereby authorized, empowered, and directed, in the name and on behalf of the Company, to execute and verify a petition, and amendments or exhibits thereto, under chapter 11 of the Bankruptcy Code (the "<u>Chapter 11 Case</u>") and to cause the same to be filed in the United States Bankruptcy Court for the Southern District of New York at such time or in such other jurisdiction as such Authorized Person executing the same shall determine;

RESOLVED, that each Authorized Person, and such other officers of the Company as the Authorized Persons shall from time to time designate, and any employees or agents (including counsel) designated by or directed by any such officers, be, and each hereby is, authorized, empowered, and directed, in the name and on behalf of the Company, to execute and file all petitions, schedules, motions, lists, applications, pleadings, and other papers or documents and to take and perform any and all further acts and deeds which he or she deems necessary, proper, or desirable in connection with the Chapter 11 Case, with a view to the successful prosecution of such case;

RESOLVED, that the law firm of Dewey & LeBoeuf LLP be and is hereby engaged as attorneys for the Company under a general retainer in the Chapter 11 Case, subject to any requisite Bankruptcy Court approval;

RESOLVED, that The Blackstone Group LP be and is hereby engaged as financial advisors to the Company in the Chapter 11 Case, subject to any requisite Bankruptcy Court approval;

RESOLVED, that each Authorized Person, and such other officers of the Company as any Authorized Person shall from time to time designate, be, and each hereby is, authorized, empowered, and directed, in the name and on behalf of the Company, to engage and retain all assistance by legal counsel, accountants, financial advisors, restructuring advisors, and other professionals in connection with the Chapter 11 Case, with a view to the successful prosecution of such case;

RESOLVED, that each Authorized Person, and such other officers of the Company as the Authorized Persons shall from time to time designate, and any employees or agents (including counsel) designated by or directed by any such officers, be, and each hereby is, authorized, empowered, and directed, in the name and on behalf of the Company, to cause the Company to enter into, execute, deliver, certify, file and/or record, and perform such agreements, instruments, motions, affidavits, applications for approvals or ruling of governmental or regulatory authorities, certificates, or other documents, and to take such other action as in the judgment of such person shall be or become necessary, proper, and desirable, with a view to the successful prosecution of such case;

RESOLVED, that in connection with the Chapter 11 Case, each Authorized Person, and such other officers of the Company as any Authorized Person shall from time to time designate, be, and each hereby is, authorized and empowered on behalf of and in the name of the Company, to negotiate, execute, deliver, and perform or cause the performance of any notes, guarantees, security agreements, other agreements, consents, certificates, or instruments as such person considers necessary, appropriate, desirable, or advisable to effectuate borrowings or other financial arrangements, such determination to be evidenced by such execution or taking of such action;

RESOLVED, that each Authorized Person, and such other officers of the Company as the Authorized Persons shall from time to time designate, be, and each hereby is, authorized, empowered, and directed, in the name and on behalf of the Company, and any such actions heretofore taken by any of them are hereby ratified, confirmed, and approved in all respects: (i) to negotiate, execute, deliver, and/or file any and all of the agreements, documents, and instruments referenced herein, and such other agreements, documents, and instruments and assignments thereof as may

be required or as such officers deem appropriate or advisable, or to cause the negotiation, execution, and delivery thereof, in the name and on behalf of the Company, as the case may be, in such form and substance as such officers may approve, together with such changes and amendments to any of the terms and conditions thereof as such officers may approve, with the execution and delivery thereof on behalf of the Company by or at the direction of such officers to constitute evidence of such approval, (ii) to negotiate, execute, deliver, and/or file, in the name and on behalf of the Company, any and all agreements, documents, certificates, consents, filings, and applications relating to the resolutions adopted and matters ratified or approved herein and the transactions contemplated thereby, and amendments and supplements to any of the foregoing, and to take such other action as may be required or as such officers deem appropriate or advisable in connection therewith, and (iii) to do such other things as may be required, or as may in their judgment be appropriate or advisable, in order to effectuate fully the resolutions adopted and matters ratified or approved herein and the consummation of the transactions contemplated hereby; and

RESOLVED, that any and all past actions heretofore taken by officers of the Company in the name and on behalf of the Company in furtherance of any or all of the preceding resolutions be, and the same hereby are, ratified, confirmed, and approved.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have set my hand this 7th day of November.

Michael A. Callen

Executive Chairman

SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK		
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In re	:	
	:	Chapter 11
AMBAC FINANCIAL GROUP, INC.,	:	
	:	Case No. 10( )
Debtor.	:	
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## **CORPORATE OWNERSHIP STATEMENT**

Pursuant to Rules 1007(a)(1) and 7007.1 of the Federal Rules of Bankruptcy Procedure, I, the undersigned authorized officer of Ambac Financial Group, Inc., named as the debtor in this case, hereby certify that as of June 30, 2010, no corporation directly or indirectly owns 10% or more of any class of the Debtor's equity interests.

Dated: November <u>6</u>, 2010 New York, New York

UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT

David W. Wallis

President and Chief Executive Officer